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MISSION: The mission of Department X of the Polish Ministry of Public Security (MBP) is the defense of the Polish Communist Party against any type of political subversion.

HISTORY: The Special Bureau (Biuro Specjalne) was organized in 1948 in order to prepare the materials for the Gomulka and Spychalski trials. This bureau was under the supervision of Colonel Rozanski until 1950. In 1950 Colonel Rozanski was assigned to the Department of Investigations. Colonel Anatol Fejgin took charge of this bureau and in 1951 the Special Bureau became Department X. Prior to 1951 the Special Bureau had the rights and privileges of an MBP department.

STRENGTH: The total strength of Department X consists of 200 to 220 individuals.

SOVIET ADVISOR: Colonel (fnu) Sigaczow.

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Background: Sigaczow was secretary of the WKPB (Wielka Komunistyczna Partia Bolszewicka - Bolshevik Communist Party) at one time.

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Chain of Command: The chain of command is from the Soviet advisor of Department X to the senior Soviet advisor.

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CHAIN OF COMMAND: Department X was supervised by General Roman Romkowski in his capacity as Vice Minister in the MEP.

DIRECTOR: The political and administrative supervisor of Department X.

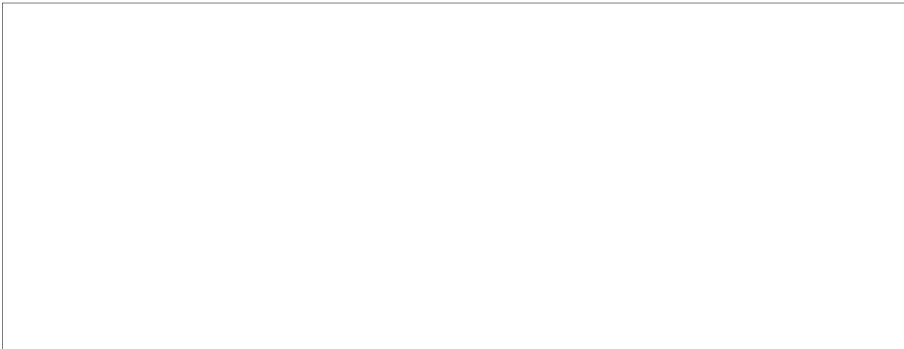
Name: Anatol Fejgin. Allegedly a true name.



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Military Service: Fejgin served in Berling's 1st Division and attained the rank of colonel.

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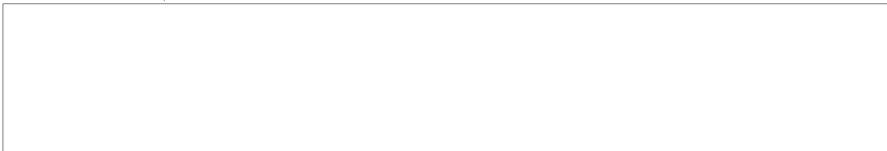
DEPUTY DIRECTOR: The political and administrative supervisor of Branches I, III, and the Defense Branch.

Name: Presently unknown.

DEPUTY DIRECTOR: The political and administrative supervisor of Branches II and IV.

Name: Lt. Colonel Henryk Piasecki.

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BRANCH I

MISSION: The elimination of nationalistic deviationism and Trotskyism from the Polish Communist Party.

CHIEF: Captain Jerzy Nowakowski.

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DEPUTY CHIEF: Captain Jozef Sieracki.

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SECTION I

MISSION: The elimination of nationalistic deviationism from the Polish Communist Party.

CHIEF: Captain (fnu) Moniak.

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MEMBERS: Section I contains about twelve people, among whom are the following:

1st Lieutenant Krystkiewicz
2nd Lieutenant Fryderych
1st Lieutenant Onieszczuk
1st Lieutenant Sikora
2nd Lieutenant Staniszewski

SECTION II

MISSION: The elimination of Trotskyites from the Polish Communist Party. This section is interested in Trotskyites who are in Poland and Trotskyites who are working against Poland from abroad, and is investigating the possibility that the Trotskyites abroad are in communication with Trotskyites in Poland.

CHIEF: 2nd Lieutenant Konstanty Zalczan.

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MEMBERS: Section II also employs the following people:

(fnu) Zielinski
(fnu) Macjon

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BRANCH II

MISSION: The detection and elimination of foreign agents within the Polish Communist Party.

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CHIEF: Colonel Anatol Fejgin. Fejgin has assumed personal control over this Branch since 1 December 1953. Lt. Colonel Henryk Piasecki was the chief of this branch until 1 December 1953.

DEPUTY CHIEF: Major Edmund Kwasek.

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SECTION I

MISSION: The detection and elimination of American and British agents within the Polish Communist Party.

CHIEF: Captain (fnu) Ziemlinski.

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MEMBERS: Section I also employs the following individuals:

1st Lieutenant Rapaport
2nd Lieutenant Gaszczyk
(Rank unknown) Luczynski

SECTION II

MISSION: The detection and elimination of French, Spanish, and other agents in the Polish Communist Party.

CHIEF: Captain (fnu) Moranowicz.

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MEMBERS: Section II also employs the following individuals;

Captain Jakubczyk
2nd Lieutenant Marczak
2nd Lieutenant Krasnicka
2nd Lieutenant Benedykt Nowakowski

BRANCH III

MISSION: The detection and elimination of all police agents, Gestapo agents, pre-war O-2 agents, and political agents of any type who are presently in the Polish Communist Party.

CHIEF: Vacant.

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DEPUTY CHIEF: Major Aleksander Szenauk.



SECTION I

MISSION: The investigation, detection, and elimination of penetration agents in the KPP and KZMP. This section is concerned with penetrations which occurred prior to 1939.

SECTION II

MISSION: The investigation, detection, and elimination of penetration agents in the KPZ, KPZU (Western Ukrainian Communist Party), and KPZB. This section is concerned with penetrations which occurred prior to 1939.

The activities of Section I and Section II are closely coordinated.

CHIEF: 1st Lieutenant (fnu) Wojnar.



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MEMBERS: The following individuals are also employed in Section I and II:

1st Lieutenant Widowski
1st Lieutenant Wiclondok
2nd Lieutenant Garbolinski
(Rank unknown) Grocki

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SECTION III

MISSION: The investigation, detection, and elimination of all political penetration agents who were infiltrated into the PPR during the period 1939-1945.

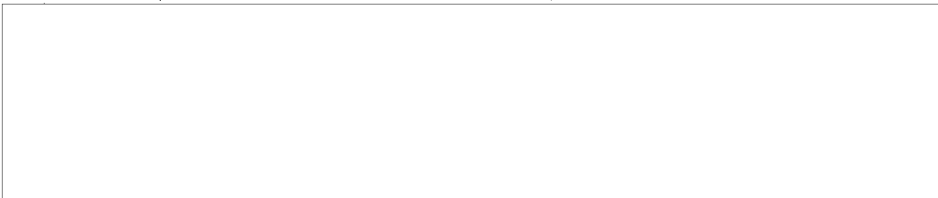
SECTION IV

MISSION: The investigation, detection, and elimination of all Gestapo agents who infiltrated the PPR during the period 1939-1945.

The activities of Section III and Section IV are closely coordinated. There is a constant question mark held over all Party members in that they were penetration agents of one type or another.

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CHIEF: 1st Lieutenant Radomski.



MEMBERS: The following listed personalities are also employed in Section III or Section IV.

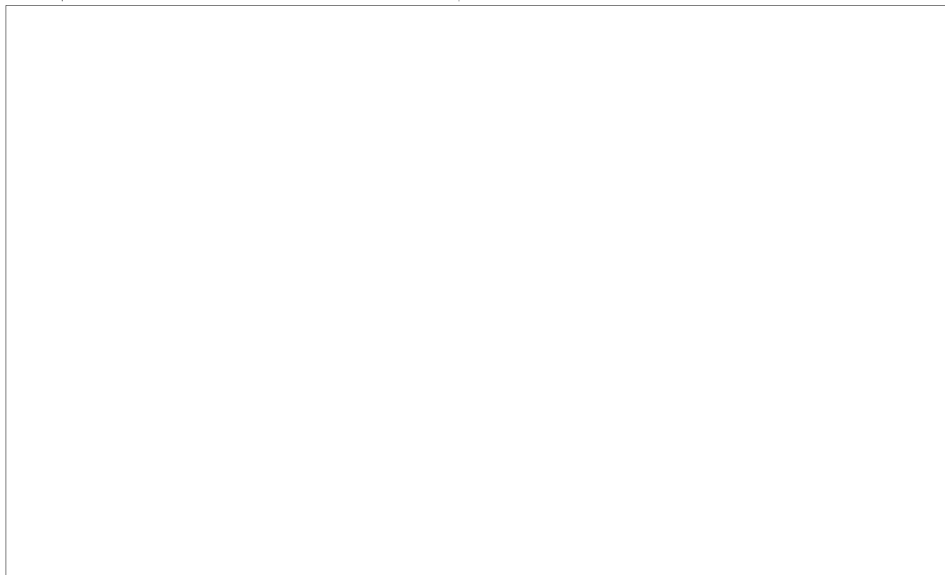
Captain Wladyslaw Czyz
2nd Lieutenant Binczyk
Warrant Officer Woznica
Warrant Officer Helena Lubowska

INSPECTORATE (INSPEKTORAT). This unit has the same status as a branch and is under the direct control of Colonel Fejgin.

MISSION: The control and inspection of Department X's field stations.

CHIEF: Lt. Colonel Kazimierz Michalak.

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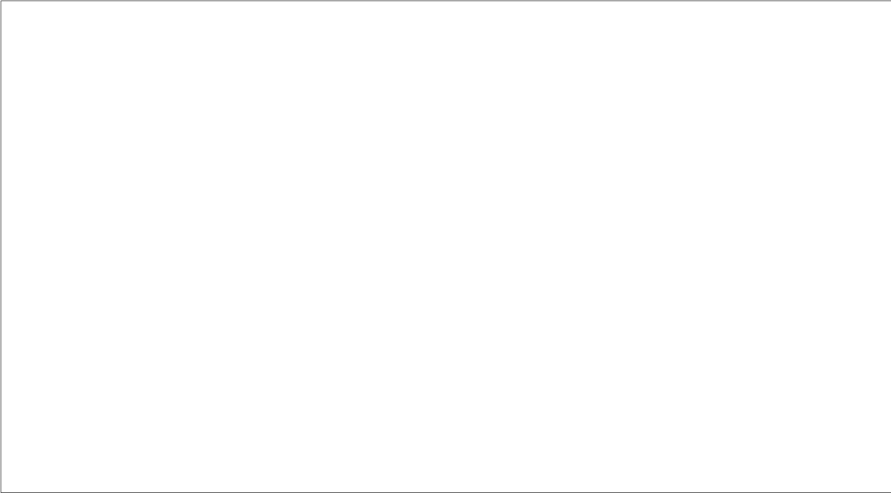
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DEPUTY: Major Edward Futera.



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BRANCH IV

MISSION: The conduct of investigations and interrogations.

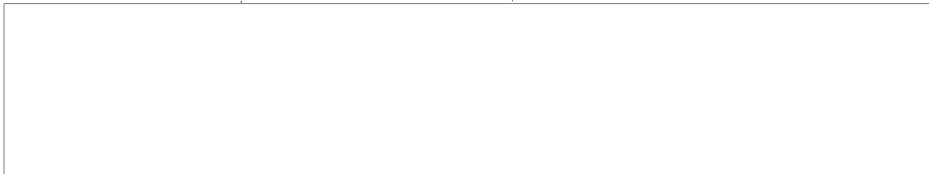
CHIEF: Lt. Colonel Jozef Dusza.

DEPUTY: Major Adam Bien. Bien has been assigned the task of interrogating General Komar.

SECTION I

MISSION: The conduct of investigations and interrogations which are run by Department X at the headquarters level. These are the most important matters conducted by Department X.

CHIEF: Major Kaskiewicz.



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OPERATIONS: The Gomulka, Spychalski, and Sobierajski cases were being conducted by Department X in December 1953.

SECTION II

MISSION: The conduct of investigations and interrogations which are carried out by the field representatives of Department X.

CHIEF: Captain Grzenda

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MEMBERS: The following personalities are also employed in Branch IV, but their assignment as to sections is not known:

Captain Misorski
Captain Marian Szpiega
1st Lieutenant Wentlant
1st Lieutenant Stanczyk
1st Lieutenant Bialek
2nd Lieutenant Kobierski
2nd Lieutenant Wzontek
Senior Sergeant Marian Glowacki

OPERATIONS: Methods of Interrogation

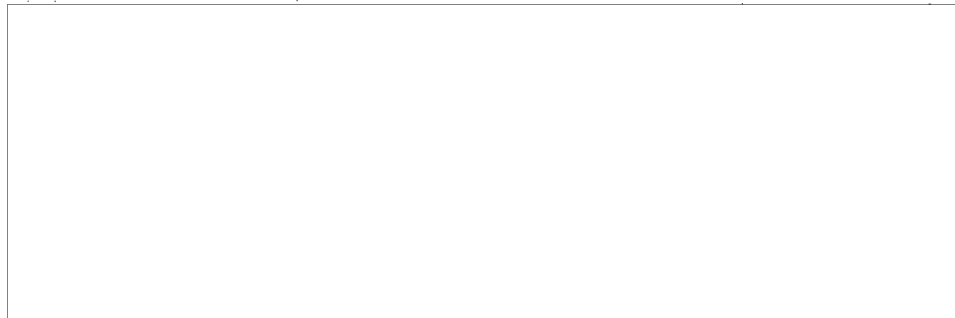
Physical violence is used to carry out most of the interrogations. The people brought to trial are not prepared for trial through the use of drugs or psychiatric treatments. In the event that physical torture does not produce the desired results, then blackmail or threats to an individual's family are made. Only about 10 percent of the people arrested are put on trial because the other 90 percent cannot be forced to cooperate. The trials also use limited statements to convict people.

DEFENSE BRANCH

MISSION: Provide security to those installations which are under the jurisdiction of Department X.

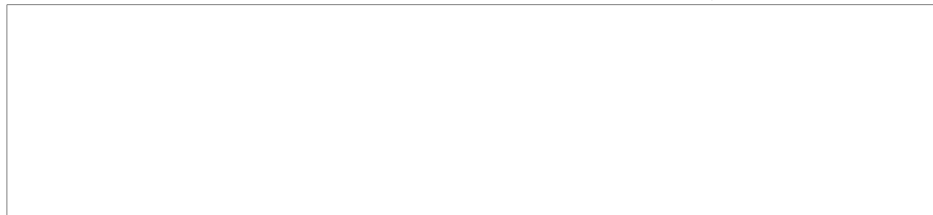
CHIEF: Major Zajac

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DEPUTY: Captain Ochal.

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SECTION I

MISSION: The guarding of Department X's prison in Miedzeszyn. The guards for this assignment are specially selected individuals.

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SECTION II

MISSION: The guarding of Department X's pavillion in Mokotow Prison.

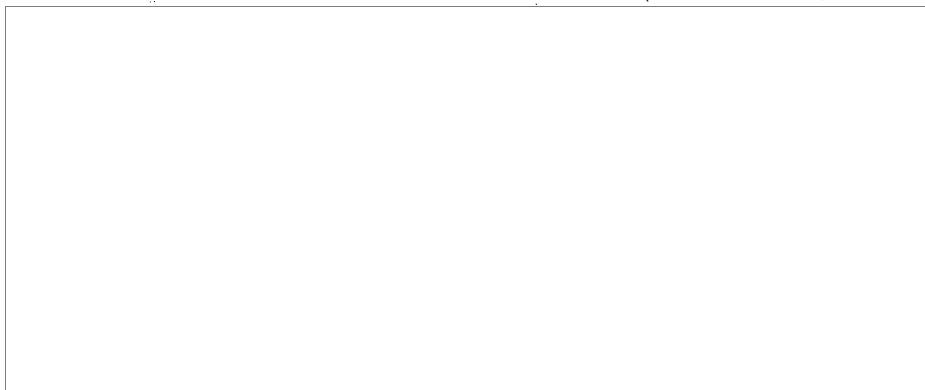
SECTION III

MISSION: The conduct of sensitive surveillance. This section keeps Cyrankiewicz's wife under surveillance.

GENERAL BRANCH

MISSION: The conduct of the secretariat.

CHIEF: Major Feret.



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DEPUTY: Warrant Officer Marysia Kuznicka.



SECTION I

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MISSION: The conduct of the secretariat. This includes receiving mail, sending mail out, conducting the log, and the sending of cables.

CHIEF: Warrant Officer Marysia Kuznicka.

SECTION II

MISSION: The maintenance of card files and the archives.

CHIEF: Warrant Officer Ita Goldbledt.



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SECTION III

MISSION: This is known as the section of studies and verifications. Its mission is to prepare reports for the department. This section prepares the department's monthly report for the Minister of the MBP.

CHIEF: Warrant Officer Pekalska. Pekalska is the wife of Captain Moniak from Branch I.

SECTION IV

MISSION: The handling of referred matters. These are cases which if conducted by Department X and result in a conviction would only lead to expulsion from the Party.

CHIEF: Major Szolem Schwarz.

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SECRETARY: (civilian) Kosarzewska.

DEPARTMENT X CORRESPONDENCE

The secretariat of each department forwards information to the concerned departments through channels. Every department maintains its own log of consecutive numbers for the purpose of document control. Messages or reports are processed through the special (spec-) postoffice. The special postoffice signs a receipt for every pouch and then forwards the pouch to the concerned department or field station.

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